

# GRAUSTARK

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1973BB

"Fall 1909"

## FRENCH SMASH RUSSIAN SALIENT

Following "Spring 1909" moves, England retreated F Nth-Lon and France retreated F Mid-Por.

ENGLAND (Eisen): A Edi holds; F Bre-Mid; F Lon S RUSSIAN F Nrg-Nth; F Mid-Por.

FRANCE (Strauss): F Nth-Den; F Hel S F Nth-Den; A Ruh-Kie; F Hol S A Ruh-Kie; A Sil-Ber; A Mun S A Sil-Ber; F Por-Spa(s.c.).

GERMANY (Sidor): F Den-Ska.

ITALY (Heuer): A Ven holds; A Rom S A Ven; F Nap-Tyr; F Tun-Tyr.

RUSSIA (Honig): F Bal S A Ber; A Ber S A Kie-Mun; A Kie-Mun; F Nrg-Nth; F Nwy S F Nrg-Nth; A Mos S E Sev; A Vie S A Bud; A Gal-War; F Sev & A Bud S F Nrg-Nth [sic].

TURKEY (Paulson): F Ion holds; F Aeg S F Ion; A Tri holds; F Adr S A Tri; F Bla-Sev; F Rum S F Bla-Sev; A Ser & A Bul S F Rum.

Underlined moves are not possible. The Russian A Kie is annihilated. The High Combatant Powers now control the following supply centers: ENGLAND: Bre, Edi, Liv, Lon, Por. (5) FRANCE: Bel, Den, Hol, Kie, Mar, Mun, Par, Spa. (8)

ITALY: Nap, Rom, Tun, Ven. (4)

RUSSIA: Ber, Bud, Mos, Nwy, St.P., Sev, Swe, Vie, War. (9)

TURKEY: Ank, Bul, Con, Gre, Rum, Ser, Smy, Tun. (8)

The last German unit, F Ska, is removed, and Germany is now out of the game. England and France may each build one new unit. These builds are to be phoned in to the Gamesmaster at once, and he will inform the other players. The deadline for "Spring 1910" moves is NOON, SATURDAY 11 MAY 1974.

1973BS

"Winter 1906-Spring 1907"

## FRENCH OFFENSIVE IN ITALY

The only "Winter 1906" moves was the Austro-Hungarian build A Bud.

ENGLAND (Pickard): F Iri-Mid; F Lon-Eng.

FRANCE (Lanham): F Lyo-Pie; A Mar S F Lyo-Pie; F Mid-Wes; F Spa(s.c.) S F Mid-Wes; A Bur holds; A Gas S A Bur; F Edi-Cly.

GERMANY (G. Tesser): F Den & A Ruh S A Kie; A Kie S A Ruh.

ITALY (Murray): A Pie-Mar; F Tus-Lyo; F Tyr S F Tus-Lyo; F NAf-Mid; F Wes S F NAf-Mid; A Smy-Apu; F Aeg C A Smy-Apu.

AUSTRIA-HUNGARY (Lariton): A Liv-St.P; A Mos S A Liv-St.P; A Sev S A Mos; F Ion C ITALIAN A Smy-Apu; A Ber-Kie; A Mun S A Ber-Kie; A Sil-Ber; A Pru S A Sil-Ber; A Tyr & A Boh S A Mun; A Tri & A Bud hold.

RUSSIA (Trtek): F Bal S GERMAN A Kie; A St.P holds; A Nwy S A St.P.

Underlined moves are not possible. Italy retreats F Wes-Tun and either A Pic-Ven or A Pic-Tus. The direction of this retreat should be sent to the Gamesmaster by IMMEDIATE RETURN AIR MAIL. The other players will then be informed. The deadline for "Fall 1907" moves is NOON, SATURDAY 11 MAY 1974.

Last Monday's mail contained a vast amount of information about wargaming. On 12-14 July, the Cincinnati Games Convention will take place at the Xavier University Armory; for more details write Jack Hasselbrook, 311 Miami Valley Dr., Loveland, Ohio 45140. The 5th annual conference of the International Simulation and Gaming Association will be held in (West) Berlin on 25-27 May; details are available from Prof. Declan Kennedy, 1000 Berlin 12, Kantstr. 154a, Germany

73-20b

## ANTE UP IN RHINELAND

USA (Jones): Rhi 7, USA 15.  
 FRANCE (Katzoff): Fra 5, Pol 2, Rus 5.  
 BRITAIN (Drakert): Pol 7, USA 14.  
 RUSSIA (Heuer): Bri 6, Rus 8.  
 GERMANY (Neiger): Bri 14, Fra 9, USA 5.  
 The deadline for "Fall 1939" moves is  
 NOON, SATURDAY 11 MAY 1974.

WS.I.C.K. (April 42, 1939): This is Skweedunk\*\*\*. It has recently been reported that Princess Kitty Katzoff has escaped from Moronia, has recently purchased a set of "THIS IS YOUR LIFE", and is pre-  
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	USA	Fra	Bri	Rus	Ger
Als	C				
Aus					C
Bal					C
Bri	6	6			14
Cze					
Fra	9				9
Ger					C
Ita					
Pol	U,15	7	9		
Rhi	16		8		20
Rum					C
Rus	5	U,8	8		6
USA	30		14		14

73-21h

## GERMANY TIGHTENS THE SPRING

USA (Jones): Cze 4, Pol 6.  
 FRANCE (Hendry): Fra 4, Ger 8.  
 BRITAIN (Trček): Bri 4, Rus 4, USA 6.  
 RUSSIA (Smith): Rus 14.  
 GERMANY (Kelly): Ger 28.  
 The deadline for "Fall 1939" moves is  
 NOON, SATURDAY 11 MAY 1974.

	USA	Fra	Bri	Rus	Ger
Als	C				
Aus					C
Bal		7	5	5	
Bri		14			U,8
Cze	8	U,5	U,15		
Fra		4			
Ger		U,13			64
Ita					
Pol	22	U,6			
Rhi		U,6			12
Rum					C
Rus			U,18	35	
USA			6		

1973BC

## PEN SYLVANIA PACT POWERS PFFFFT?

ENGLAND (Kelly): A Edi holds; A Lon-Nwy; F Nth C A Lon-Nwy; A Den-Liv; F Bal C A Den-Liv; F Swe-Bots; F St.P(n.e.)-Bar.

FRANCE (Model): A Bur, A Ruh & A Kic S RUSSIAN A Ber-Mun; A Mar-Pie; F Lyo S A Mar-Pie; F Tyr-Nap; F Wes-Tyr; A Tus S ITALIAN A Rom.

ITALY (Paul): A Rom S FRENCH R Tyr-Nap; F Tun S FRENCH F Wes-Tyr.

AUSTRIA-HUNGARY (Lipton): A Mun-Ber; A Sil & A Pru S A Mun-Ber; A Tyr-Mun; A Boh S A Tyr-Mun; A Tri-Tyr; A War-Liv; A Ven S TURKISH F Nap-Rom; F Adr dances a dance like a semidependent fury.

RUSSIA (Drakert): A Ber-Mun.

TURKEY (Carroli): A Sev-Mos; A Smy-Arm; F Nap-Rom; A Apu S F Nap-Rom; F Ion-Tyr; F Adg-Ion; F Gre S F Aeg-Rom.

Underlined moves are not possible. The Austro-Hungarian A Mun and the Italian A Rom are annihilated. The deadline for "Fall 1907" moves is NOON, SATURDAY 11 MAY 1974.

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"Spring 1939"

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1973BG

"Fall 1906"

3  
GERMANS COUNTERATTACK IN NORTH

Following "Spring 1906" moves, Germany retreated F Swe-Bot.

ENGLAND (Pickard): A Yor-Nwy.

FRANCE (Kollmer): A Pic-Par; F Lyo S F Wes; F Wes S F Lyo; F Lon-Eng; F Cly-Edi.

GERMANY (Burce): F Nth-Nwy; F Bot-St.P(s.c.); F Ska S F Nth-Nwy; A Ber holds; A Bre holds; A Kie S A Ber; A Ruh-Bel; A Bur-Mun.

ITALY (Sidor): F Tyr-Tun [sic; no such unit exists]; F Tus not ordered, holds.

AUSTRIA-HUNGARY (McCuistion): F Gre holds; F Nap-Tyr; A Mar-Bur; A Mun S A Mar-Bur; A Ven-Pie; A Tyr & A Boh S A Mun; A Gal-Sil; A Sev-Mos; A Nwy-Swe; A Swe-Den; A Pru S TURKISH A Sil-Ber.

TURKEY (De Prisco): F Tyr-Tun; F Ion S F Tyr-Tun; F Rom S AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN F Nap-Tyr; F Aeg-Gre; F Eas holds; F Con-Aeg; A Sil-Ber.

Underlined moves are not possible. Germany retreats A Bur-Gas. The High Combatant Powers now control the following supply centers:

FRANCE: Edi, Liv, Lon, Par, Por, AUSTRIA-HUNGARY: Bud, Den, Gre, Mar, Spa. (6) Mun, Mos, Rum, Ser, Swe, Tri, Ven,

GERMANY: Bel, Bre, Ber, Hol, Kie. Vie, War. (13)

Nwy, St.P. (7) TURKEY: Ank, Bul, Con, Nap, Rom, Sev, Tun, Smy. (8)

Austria-Hungary and Turkey may each build one new unit; France could also build a new unit if a home supply center were free. Germany must remove one unit. The deadline for these "Winter 1906" moves is NOON, SATURDAY 11 MAY 1974. The last English and Italian supply centers have fallen, and their last units are removed from the board.

MUNICH: Top secret documents uncovered in the Kaiser's underground fortress reveal that the German Navy has seized control of the unified armed forces command. All military personnel of importance are being moved to the Scandinavian Fleet Task Force Hqds. The Army has been ordered to evacuate the Fatherland and take up positions in the Low Lands and France.

1971BG

SUMMER AND SMOKE

"Winter 1913"

ENGLAND (Lipson): Builds A Lon, F Edi.

GERMANY (Schleicher): Removes A Mun, F Hel.

ITALY (Burley): Removes F Nat.

TURKEY (Nierenberg): Builds A Con.

The deadline for "Spring 1914" moves is 6 PM, TUESDAY 30 APRIL 1974.

73.20b (continued from p. 2)

sently residing in Katz Kingdom.

S.I.C.K. (April 43, 1939): This is Moronia\*\*\* Evan Jones is no relation to King Evan of Moronia.

S.I.C.K. (April 49, 1939): This is White Plains\*\*\* If Drakert does not agree to share control of the Rhineland, we, the management are going to do something about it. They don't call this scenario "aggressive U.S.-British" for nothing!

S.I.C.K. (Mayday 1939): When is Raymond Heuer at his highest social standing?

S.I.C.K. (Mayday +2, 1939): When he's downwind.

S.I.C.K. (Mayday -(-2)): Lipton, get back into 1971EC where you belong!

S.I.C.K. (May 15, 1939): Hah, hah, Katzoff! Now there's no more wrinkle in timeline, and I don't have to tesser my forces into France! We're in the same game!

HIC EST ILLYRIA, DOMINA

	I. Phase	Dority	II. Fong	III. Hulland	IV. Lehtonen
Af- ter 5D:	Grl2B GaA*; Gr5B Grl2B GaA*; Gr5B Grl2B GaA*; Gr5B Gr12B GaA*; Gr12B GaA*; Gr HsC*; Gr6B IyA*; HsC*; Gr7B IyB; HsC*; Gr6B IyA*; 15B GrB*(Iy); Gr Gr9B IyA(Gc); Gr20B ItA*; Sc4B Gr9B IyA(Gc); Gr5B HsC*; Gr20B 20B ItA*; Ps3B AfC*; Sc3B DaA*; 20B ItA*; Ps4B ItB*; Gr1N ItB*; SyC; Sc3B DaA*; Sc2BP ThB; AsB*; Sc4B AfC*; Sc4B AfC*; Sc3B Sc3BP ThB. Sc3B DaA*; Sc2BP ThB.				
5E:	No moves rec'd.	No moves rec'd.	1L GcA, 6L ThB, & 3L SyC, 4M SyC, 2L ThB & 10M ThB hold.	1L GcA, 4L AgB, 2L IyB, 10M ThB, 1M IyB, 3L ThB, & 1L SyC & 1L TaA hold.	1L IyA-IyC; 2L ThB-ThA-IyA-IyC; 2L SyC-AsA-GcB; 3L ItA & 10M ThB hold.
5F:	None.	None.		ThB: 6L & 10M vs. ThB: 10M vs. Sc2 Sc3BP, 5:1. (5), BP 5:1 (5), $\frac{1}{2}$ Ex. $\frac{1}{2}$ Ex. -2L, Sc3BP. -1M, Sc2BP.	
5G:	None.	None. (5)		None. (5)	None.
5H:	Ag, As, Cy, Gc, Sy ( $\frac{1}{2}$ ), Th( $\frac{1}{2}$ ). Ps: Ar, Ms, Ps.	Ag, As, Cy, Gc, Iy- ( $\frac{1}{2}$ ), Sy, Ta, Th. Ps: Ar, Ms, Ps.	Ag, Cy, Gc, Th. Ps: Ar, As, Ms, Ps, Sy.		Ag, As, Cy, Gc, Iy, Sy, Th. Ps: Ar, Ms, Ps.
5J:	-Sc2BP ThB.	-Sc1BP ThB, -Gr4B IyB.		None.	None.
5K:	10 $\varnothing$ +34-10=133 Ps: 70+27-6=91	108+44-24=128 Ps: 94+27=121	41+20-10=51 Ps: 126+47-8=165		55+46-16=85 Ps: 94+27=121
5L:	None. (6-7L, 5B; 9-4B)	None. (7-12B)	None. (6-1L, 6B; 10-2B)		None. (6-4L; 7-12B)
5M:	None.	None.	None.		None.
6A:	None.	None.	None.		None.
6B:	Gr9B IyB-IyA-GcB	None.	Gr9B IyB-IyA-GcB 3M raised in GcB	Gr20B ItB-ItA; Grl5B GrB-IyB. 1M raised in LyB and 3M in IyA.	
6C:	None.	IyB: Gr3B vs. 2L GcB: Gr9B vs. 3M & 1M 1:1. (4)- 3:1 (1), $\frac{1}{2}$ De. -2M	ItA: Gr20B vs. 3L 6:1 (3), $\frac{1}{2}$ De, -. IyB: Grl5B vs. 1M 6:1 (4), $\frac{1}{2}$ De, -1M.		

CD! (6,2) Gr6BP raised in GrA with destination Greece, except in Game I,  
where the destination is Thrace.

VIII - SYRIA: The extreme persistence of the Persian rebels has been attributed to a fault in the procurement system for the Roman troops - the ministry has found out that the Legions have not received their daily ration of Turkish hash for the past three years, and have consequently - and quite naturally - been refusing to perform the simplest of physical tasks, to include bathing, self-abuse, abuse of small pets including platypussys, and normal movements of the digestive system. Naturally, fighting acumen cannot be expected of men so fiendishly depraved of the essentials of life.

#### IX - NOVUM EBORACUM - "Destroyed"?

THIS IS ILLYRIA, LADY

V.

Phase Paulson

VI.

Scensny

VII.

Scher

VIII.

Ver Ploeg

Af- Gr12B GaA*; Gr5B Gr12B GaA*; Gr5B Gr12B GaA*; Gr5B Gr12B GaA*; Gr5B ter HsC*; Gr7B IyB; HsC*; Gr7B IyB; HsC*; Gr15B IyB* HsC*; Gr7B IyB; 5D: Gr20B ItA*; SclN Gr1B ItA; Ps4B Gr20B ItA*; SclN Gr20B ItA*; Ps6B AfA; Ps6B SyB; SyC; Sc3B DaA*; AfA; Sc3B DaA*; SyC; Sc4B AfC*; Sc3BP ThB; Sc2BP ThB; Gr1N Sc2BP ThB; Ps6B Sc3B DaA*; Sc3BP Sc3B DaA*. ItA; Pc2BP PaA. SyC.	1L SyB-SyC-AsA; 3L ItB-ItA; 2L 1L AfA-AfB; 1L 3L SyC-AsA-GcB- 1L ThA-GcB; 3L ThB-ThA-IyA; 1L AgB-GcA-GgB-TyA; ItA; 1L GcA-GcB- IyA-IyC; 9M ThA- ThB-AsC-AsA; 2M 1L ThB-ThA-IyA- ItA; 3L IyC-ItB; ThB; 2L AsA, 3L IyA-IyB; 1M IyC- IyC; 1L SyC-AsA- 1M SyC-SyB; 2M AfA; 2L SyB, 10M IyB; 1L AgB, 1L GcB-LA-IyC; 1L SyC-SyA; 3L AgB, SyB, 2M IyA, & AsA; 10M ThB, & AsB, AsA-GcB-ItA; 2L AsA, 7M SyC, 1M IyC hold. 10M SyC hold. 3L AfA, 1L 10M ThB, 2M IyA IyC, 2L SyC, 10M & 1M IyC hold. ThB & 10M SyC GrlN raised in hold. 4N in IyA. ItA.		
5E: AfA: 3L vs. SclN ItA: 3L vs. GrlB AfA: 3L vs. SclN SyC: 7M vs. Ps6B 3:1 (3), $\frac{1}{2}$ De. & 1N 1:1 (4)-. 3:1 (3), $\frac{1}{2}$ De. 1:1 (3), Ex. -6M, -SclN. ThB: 9M SyC: 10M vs. Ps vs. SclN. SyC: 2L Ps6B. ThB: 10M vs. vs. Sc3BP 3:1 4B 2:1 (3), $\frac{1}{2}$ Ex. & 10M vs. Ps6B. Sc3BP, 3:1 (5)-. (5)-. SyB: 2L -2M, Ps4B. ThB: 2:1 (3), $\frac{1}{2}$ Ex. -2L, & 10M vs. Ps6B 10M vs. Sc2BP 1M, Ps6B. ThB: 2:1 (3), $\frac{1}{2}$ Ex. 5:1 (5), $\frac{1}{2}$ Ex. 10M vs. Sc2BP (5), -2L, 1M, Ps6B. -1M, Sc2BP. $\frac{1}{2}$ Ex. -1M, Sc2BP.	AfA: 3L vs. SclN SyC: 7M vs. Ps6B 3:1 (3), $\frac{1}{2}$ De. 1:1 (3), Ex. -6M, -SclN. SyC: 2L Ps6B. ThB: 10M vs. vs. Sc3BP 3:1 4B 2:1 (3), $\frac{1}{2}$ Ex. & 10M vs. Ps6B. Sc3BP, 3:1 (5)-. (5)-. SyB: 2L -2M, Ps4B. ThB: 2:1 (3), $\frac{1}{2}$ Ex. -2L, & 10M vs. Ps6B 10M vs. Sc2BP 1M, Ps6B. ThB: 2:1 (3), $\frac{1}{2}$ Ex. 5:1 (5), $\frac{1}{2}$ Ex. 10M vs. Sc2BP (5), -2L, 1M, Ps6B. -1M, Sc2BP. $\frac{1}{2}$ Ex. -1M, Sc2BP.		
5G: None.	None.		
5H: Af, Ag, As, Cy, Gc, Iy( $\frac{1}{2}$ ), Sy, Th( $\frac{1}{2}$ ). Ps: Ar, Ms, Ps.	Ag, As, Cy, Gc, Iy( $\frac{1}{2}$ ) Sy, Th. Ps: Ar, Ms, Ps.	Af, Ag, As, Cy, Gc, Iy( $\frac{1}{2}$ ), Sy, Th. Ps: Ar, Ms, Ps.	Ag, As, Cy, Gc, Iy( $\frac{1}{2}$ ), Sy, Th( $\frac{1}{2}$ ). Ps: Ar, Ms, Ps.
5J: -Gr4B IyB, -Sc2BP ThB.	-Gr1B ItA, -Gr4B IyB.	None!	-Gr4B IyB, -Gr10B ItA, -Sc2BP ThB.
5K: 69+45-20-3=91 Ps: 34+27=61	72+43-16-2=97 Ps: 40+27=67	70+44-21-15=78 Ps: 34+27=61	71+41-24-13=75 Ps: 34+27=61
5L: None. (7-2L, 9-6B, 10-6B)	None. (7-4L, & 3B, 9-5B, 10-4B) 9-6B, 10-6B)	1L ThB. (7-2L, 9-6B, 10-6B)	None. (9-6B, 10-6B)
5M: Gr3B IyB.	Pc2BP PaA.	Grl5B IyB.	Gr10B ItA, Gr3B IyB.
6A: None.	None.	None.	None.
6B: None.	Gr3B IyB-IyA.	None.	None.
6C: None.	IyA: Gr3B vs. 2L, 1:1 (4)-	IyA: Gr4N vs. 3L 1:1 (4)-	None.

6D: (6,2) Gr6BP raised in GrA with destination Greece.

Underlined moves are not possible under the rules of Fall of Rome. The deadline for 535 AD orders is NOON, SATURDAY 4 MAY 1974. These moves will be published a week later in GRAUSTARK #310.

Press releases, and the answers to some questions about the rules of this game, are on the next page. The Gamesmaster would like to thank John Hulland for some of the Latin headlines used in this game.

FALL OF ROME - PRESS RELEASES

III - War-Office, THRACIA (ARP): Today, officials released some mottoes to be used, to encourage enlistment in the Roman Armed Forces (ROMAF):

"CONSCRIBIT SUB YOHANNUS ET VIDET ACIEM"

This is

"ESTNE QUAERITO ADVENTURE?"

O At

"MUNDUS TERITUS REGIT SUPREMUM!!"

P Great

E Intervals

III - CYPRUS (ARP): Yohannus Hulindus was removed from service today, when it was learned of his massive plan to build a large catapult, and launch a Legion of top troops into Persia, to hit the enemy in the rear. Of all the stupid...

R This

A Appears

T To

I Inflame

III - ATHENA (ARP): Zkropyros has made a temporary tela-link with a world which has an Emporar named Doritus. This world is quite similar to ours, though they havn't yet allied with Persia. They sent a limited campaign into North Africa - which was repulsed in the first year. Like us, they have had a number of lapse years lately.

O Optic

N Nerves

# 579

EXCIDIO ROMAE

LEN SCENSNY: Can a unit move directly from ThB to AsA? [Yes; the Errata state this explicitly.] What happened to the three revolting legions in game IV? [Since they were already in ItA when they revolted, they just stayed there. Legions which rebel in the "Western Empire" march on Rome whether ItA is controlled by the Empire or not.]

BRENTON VER PLOEG: The term "force" [in 5.22] is open to alternate interpretations. If you interpret "force" to mean the entire Roman (or non, though it wouldn't come up except when there were volitional moves) contingent in the particular area, then I cannot, say, move PART of a "force" out of the area, even when I have a superiority of 1½ to 1, or even 3 to 1. If force is defined as an integrated whole, then it either all has to go or none of it may. "Force", on the other hand, may be defined in the more limited context as comprising potentially different groups of Roman troops, militia and Legion, in the same area, and each "force" could then be considered separately for the purposes of rule 5.22. If the "force" seeking to move out had numerical superiority over the enemy forces, could they move under the cited rule? Or would the whole force(s) have to leave the area? If the latter, cannot the rule be circumvented by moving all forces out, and then some back in? The rules are not terribly explicit on the matter, but I am giving it a liberal interpretation. [The former interpretation is correct. See 5.32.] ...Can you refuse to marshall all the militia? [No. The militia must appear whenever the province is invaded; see 10.0.]...As a related effect can you demobilize militia that are not needed even though enemy troops remain which compel the presence of some militia? [No.]...What I am saying has possibly significant implications in the case of revolts, where the whole number wouldn't go over in a rebellious province, and where the difference might be substantial. [Loyal militia cannot be used to put down rebellious militia.]

KENNETH SCHER: What happens when attrition reduces barbarian forces to less than 1B? [It can't. Attrition is always rounded up, and there are no fractional strength points in this game.]

LEN SCENSNY: Does rule 7.11(d) mean that if a barbarian force does not equal the [victory] point value of a province, then it will suffer attrition? [Yes.] \*

The 13th Annual Symposium of the National Gaming Council will take place in Pittsburgh on 8-10 October 1974. The NGC is also helping with travel arrangements for the ISAGA meeting in Berlin (see p. 1). For further information write to Jennifer Clarke, 803 Bruce Hall, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, Penn. 15260

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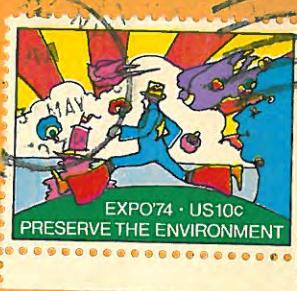
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